



Blue Hills Federation

Platinum Award

1. Develop an area of the school (inside or outside) to make it more environmentally friendly. Write to a school governor, inviting them into school to listen to a presentation of what you have achieved
2. Take on a higher leadership role at school – e.g run an ECO council, take minutes, plan a meeting and follow up the actions
3. Teach yourself to play 2 songs on a new instrument and be prepared to perform in front of the school
4. Run an initiative (for at least half a term) that promotes the enjoyment of reading at school for all ages
5. Do something positive to help your local community (this must be more than a one off activity)
6. Write to a pen pal in France- write to him/her in French to illustrate all the French you have learnt in school. There must be an exchange of at least 3 letters from you. (Mrs Hood will put you in touch with someone suitable)
7. Enter an out of school art/photography competition or produce a photography display of Bucknell and its surrounding area
8. Meet and talk to people you know to find out about their childhood memories. It should be at least one person from each of the following categories: Under 5's, Primary school, Secondary school, 6th form, 30's-40's, 50 -60's, 70 -80's, 90+ and present to the school/class
9. Set up a reading buddy scheme for pupils who find reading difficult or are not reading at home (for at least one day a week for a term)
10. Develop your French skills by having a longer conversation to include talking about the weather, your family, where you live and your hobbies
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13. Learn and recite a suitable poem and add suitable actions
14. Interview at least 10 pupils to find out their favourite book and why they like it. Take a photo of the pupils' and display your results
15. Complete a weekly sudoku and crossword puzzle (these will be available in a file)
16. Learn a new craft skill, for example, knitting, mosaics, paper craft, painting etc. Bring your product into school
17. Be responsible for a display in school and keep it maintained
18. Ask at least 5 members of your family or neighbours about their favourite place local to Bucknell, take photos of this area and plot on an annotated map stating why it is a favourite place
19. Build a marble roller coaster. There should be at least one 360^o loop. One part of the roller coaster should have a 45^o drop
20. Design a comprehensive 2 week fitness programme. Please speak to Mr Jones before starting this challenge
21. Write a song about a subject you care about, perhaps using a tune from an existing song
22. Produce a video showing how to do something for example make a cake
23. Write a story that has chapters of at least 5 pages long
24. Financial awareness.

Complete the following and present to others

- Plan a birthday party for 5 friends with £35. Show what food you would eat and how much it would cost. Would you need any prizes for games? Would you need decorations? Remember this all has to be done with a Budget of £35.
- An aunt has given you £500 and you would like to save it rather than spend it, where is the best place to save it and why?
- What is a pension, when should you start paying into your pension and how does it work? What are the different types of pension?

*Please remember that in order to achieve this award,
you need to uphold the criteria of previous awards ,
such as good attendance and home learning.*